



Alabama Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention

Grants Awarded for

Program Year 2014-2015

| District | Organization Name | Program Name | Program Type | Base County | Final Award |
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| 1 | Alta Pointe Health Systems | Reaching and Encouraging Active Parenting | Home Visiting | Baldwin | \$30,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Baldwin</p> <p>Program Narrative: Reaching and Encouraging Active Parenting, otherwise known as R-E-A-P, works with families who have identified risk factors for potential abuse or neglect of their children. Most participants are identified by professionals throughout Baldwin County but parents can self-refer to the program as well. Participants experience no cost. The program is strictly voluntary. REAP follows an approved curriculum but through its home visiting program is flexible enough to allow for some personalization in regard to issues the parent identifies as concerns for them. REAP's main goal is to increase a parent's understanding of how children develop and the role development plays in how a child responds to others and behaves in their immediate environment.</p> <p>Website Address: www.altapointe.org</p> | | | | |
| 1 | Auburn University | Hope Place Parenting Center | Parent Education and Support | Escambia | \$25,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Escambia</p> <p>Program Narrative: Hope Place Parenting Center provides educational instruction to parents through Parents As Teachers Home Visitation, group parenting classes and seminars, and individually designed one-on-one parent coaching for vulnerable at-risk families. Strengths based delivery with goal setting and case management allows countless opportunities for parents to succeed at one of life's greatest challenges, parenting.</p> <p>Website Address: http://www.hopeplacefrc.org/</p> | | | | |
| 1 | Baldwin County Child Advocacy Center dba CARE House, Inc. | Think First & Play Safe Plus Tar Wars | Non-School Based/After School | Baldwin | \$10,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Baldwin</p> <p>Program Narrative: The Think First & Stay Safe™ program is an evidence-based curriculum that strives for a balanced perspective that will preserve as much of the innocence and optimism of childhood as possible. While it is imperative to arm youngsters with personal safety strategies, it is also essential to reassure them that most people are good and kind and can be counted upon for help when the need arises. By teaching students the importance of treating themselves and others with kindness and respect, we set behavioral expectations and help students recognize inappropriate and unsafe behaviors. Students learn how to set personal boundaries, identify trusted adults and recognize their instincts at work.</p> <p>Website Address: www.bccarehouse.org</p> | | | | |

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| 1 | Baldwin County Child Advocacy Center dba CARE House, Inc. | Internet/On-Line Safety Training | Public Awareness and Training | Baldwin | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Baldwin | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The NetSmartz curriculum is used in teaching Internet/On-line Safety. This Evidence-Based curriculum is very comprehensive and age appropriate. The target groups are grades two, three, four, six and eight. It also includes a Parent/Community Program. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.bccarehouse.org | | | |
| 1 | Baldwin County Child Advocacy Center dba CARE House, Inc. | Mandatory Reporter Training | Public Awareness and Training | Baldwin | \$8,840.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Baldwin | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Mandatory Reporter Training offered by CARE House is to provide details to mandated reporters of their legal responsibilities in notifying the Department of Human Resources and/or law enforcement of known or suspected child abuse and neglect. This evidence-based training consists of a Power Point Presentation and handouts. The procedures on how to report abuse, as well as the contact information is provided. Handouts also include a brief description of the types of abuse, which include physical, emotional, sexual, and neglect, as well as the possible physical and behavioral indicators of abuse. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.bccarehouse.org | | | |
| 1 | Big Brothers Big Sisters of South Alabama, Inc. | Big Brothers Big Sisters Community-Based Mentoring Program | Mentoring | Mobile | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile, Baldwin, Washington, Escambia, Clark, Monroeville | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Community-based Mentoring is the traditional Big Brothers Big Sisters relationship. Serving children ages 6 to 12, community-based mentoring is all about one-on-one time spent with the volunteer and the child doing things they enjoy in the community. The commitment is one year with the goal for the match to spend an average of 4-6 hours a month together. Big Brothers Big Sisters supports the match by providing one match activity a month and maintaining contact on a monthly basis. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.bbbssa.org | | | |
| 1 | Big Brothers Big Sisters of South Alabama, Inc. | Big Brothers Big Sisters School-Based Mentoring Program | School-Based | Mobile | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile, Baldwin, Washington, Escambia, Clark, Monroeville | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Currently based in 20 Mobile County Schools and 6 Baldwin County Schools, School-Based Mentoring is one-to-one mentoring, with children ages 6 to 12, that takes place on school grounds during school hours. We encourage students to talk with their mentors about their classes, do homework, or read together, but it's really all about friendship, guidance and building a relationship. "Bigs" meet with their "Littles" for one hour per week for the duration of the school year, arranged around the child's needs and your schedule. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.bbbssa.org | | | |

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| 1 | CASA Mobile, Inc. | CASA Mobile | Parent Education and Support | Mobile | \$22,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Trained volunteers, appointed by a judge, perform independent investigations and advocate for children and families involved in dependency cases. Volunteers report factual findings to the court through written reports and testimony for the purpose of assisting the court in determining the best placements for children so they can grow up in safe, loving, permanent homes. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.casamobile.org | | | |
| 1 | Catholic Social Services for Family Service Center - Bay Minette | Family Service Center's Fatherhood Initiative | Parent Education and Support | Baldwin | \$35,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Baldwin | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The purpose of the Family Service Center's Fatherhood Initiative program is to provide prevention services to non-custodial, low in-come parents with training on how to become more responsible and effectively involved parents. Components of the Fatherhood Initiative's research-based curriculum help participants learn effective parenting skills, how to earn better wages, along with learning how to develop a budget to manage their household income. The program provides educational materials about the importance of child support payments and the impacts on children with the goal of becoming well-rounded individuals. | | | |
| | Website Address: | http://www.catholicsocialservicesmobile.com/cssmob/ | | | |
| 1 | Catholic Social Services for Family Service Center - Bay Minette | Family Service Center | Home Visiting | Baldwin | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Baldwin | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The purpose of the Family Service Center's Home Visitation program is to provide services to help children by helping their families improve family functioning through both preventive and treatment programs. Family-focused treatment that addresses the functioning of the family unit is the foundation of our services. Each case is addressed individually according to each family's need. | | | |
| | Website Address: | http://www.catholicsocialservicesmobile.com/cssmob/ | | | |
| 1 | Goodwill Easter Seals of the Gulf Coast, Inc. | Goodwill Easter Seals Family Support Services | Parent Education and Support | Mobile | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile, Baldwin | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Goodwill Easter Seals' Family Support Services focuses on secondary prevention of child abuse through the implementation of parent meetings, family enrichment activities, respite opportunities, and through the promotion of family literacy. Our program encourages awareness of appropriate developmental expectations by parents/guardians, offers strategies for positive parenting, and provides an avenue for peer to peer networking and support. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.gesgc.org | | | |

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| 1 | Gulf Regional Early Childhood Services (GRECS) | Caring for the Caregiver | Parent Education and Support | Mobile | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Baldwin, Clarke, Conecuh, Escambia, Mobile, Monroe, Washington | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | GRCMA Early Childhood Services improves the quality of child care programs and implements early learning opportunities to prepare children for academic success. Caring for the Caregiver will provide ongoing intense training, technical assistance and resource materials to caregivers and parents to enable them to provide children with healthy growth and development. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.greecs.org | | | |
| 1 | Mobile County Health Department | Family Support | Responsible Fatherhood | Mobile | \$60,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Mobile County Health Department's Fatherhood Initiative is a community-based intervention designed to remove the barriers to being an effective father through evidence-based practices and partnerships with various organizations. Ultimately, the Fatherhood Initiative will equip teenage and adult males with the necessary skills to become better men, fathers, and more productive citizens. To reverse the negative impact of absent fathers, the Fatherhood Initiative offers numerous services and incentives. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.mobileteencenter.org | | | |
| 1 | Mobile County Health Department | School Parenting Program | Parent Education and Support | Mobile | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Parent Education Program is a skill building class . The program will focus on preventive educational sessions for pregnant and parenting teens, young adults, and young fathers. The program is design to increase the participants knowledge in child rearing, child abuse/neglect, coping skills, and safe sleep. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.mobileteencenter.org | | | |
| 1 | Mobile County Health Department | Family Support | Home Visiting | Mobile | \$35,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Mobile TEEN (Teens Empowered through Education and Nurturing) Center is a youth resource center serving teens in Mobile County. The program is designed to help reduce infant mortality among the teen population and decrease child abuse and neglect. The program provides educational preventive services, parenting classes, counseling, home visitation, safe sleep classes, and transportation to participants in the program. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.mobileteencenter.org | | | |

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| 1 | Preschool Center for Deaf and Blind | Project Possible | Parent Education and Support | Mobile | \$16,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Baldwin, Clarke, Mobile, Washington | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Preschool Center for the Deaf and Blind instills confidence and hope in our students and their parents. Project Possible is a parent education and support program designed to prevent child abuse and neglect. The program empowers parents to advocate for their children who have hearing or vision loss. We offer weekly education programs and monthly social support programs. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.aidb.org | | | |
| 1 | The Family Center | Parent Network | Parent Education and Support | Mobile | \$35,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile, Baldwin, Washington | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Parent Network at The Family Center offers free parenting classes open to the public in Mobile, Baldwin and Washington Counties. The Nurturing Parenting curriculum is used, which focuses on protective factors for families with children under 12 years of age. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.familycentermobile.org | | | |
| 1 | The Family Center | Mobile County Healthy Parenting and Relationships | Responsible Fatherhood | Mobile | \$200,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile, Baldwin, Washington | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Mobile and Baldwin County program provides weekly Responsible Parenting and Healthy Relationship classes at our offices and offsite at a variety of partner locations that include Mobile Metro Jail, Head Start Centers and Rehabilitation Centers. All participants receive case management services while attending classes, and earn incentives for completing their classes. Dinner and childcare is provided for all classes at our offices. Everyone can earn incentives except inmates, who are not allowed by the Warden. We are going to partner with the Teen Center this year at Head Start Centers. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.familycentermobile.org | | | |
| 1 | United Cerebral Palsy of Mobile, Inc. | Project Aware | Home Visiting | Mobile | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Mobile | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Project Aware is a multi-faceted home visitation program in Mobile, Alabama. Project Aware focuses prevention efforts on children with special needs and their families. Although home visits are the primary focus, Project Aware also offers the following components: UCP Children's Services Newsletter and informational packets/mailings, Family Involvement Activities, and the child-focused program with the UCP Preschool Program. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ucpmobile.org | | | |

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| 1 | United Cerebral Palsy of Mobile, Inc. | HEARTS Respite Reciplication Program | Respite Care | Mobile | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Baldwin, Mobile, Escambia, Washington, Clarke, Monroe | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The HEARTS Respite Replication Project (HRRP) offers skilled, unskilled, and voucher respite for caregivers. Caregivers provide round-the-clock care for a child with a special health need in District One. This program gives parents and caregivers of children with disabilities, temporary relief from the constant stress involved in caring for a child with a special health care need. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ucpmobile.org | | | |
| 2 | ACES of Elmore | Parent Leadership Project | Statewide Initiatives | Elmore | \$18,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Statewide | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Alabama Parent Leadership Project is a program to provide training to agency personnel and the parents who are involved or receive services from the agency. Currently two trainings are being conducted with teams from agencies of practitioner/parent. The first is the Parent Leadership101 which is an introduction to the parent leadership concept. The second is an advanced training ideally with the same team from each agency to build on the parent/practitioner relationship and assist with their planning of recruiting, future training and involvement of more parents in the agency. Training in The Parent Café' model are also available upon request to help facilitate the recruitment of potential parent leaders. Future plans include making available a T-3 Training which is a "Train the Trainer". | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.aces.edu/counties/Elmore/ | | | |
| 2 | Aid to Inmate Mothers | Aid to Inmate Mothers | Parent Education and Support | Montgomery | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Elmore, Jefferson, Montgomery | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Aid to Inmate Mothers' (AIM) Parenting Education program teaches incarcerated mothers how to be effective and nurturing parents, learn positive discipline techniques, and how to manage stress and avoid neglecting or abusing their children both while they are incarcerated and after they return home to their children. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.inmatemoms.org | | | |

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| 2 | Alabama Parent Education Center | Dedicated Dads | Parent Education and Support | Elmore | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Elmore | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Dedicated Dads will help incarcerated fathers to responsibly connect emotionally and financially with their children prior to release from the Alabama Department of Corrections (DOC). Dedicated Dads will provide secondary prevention education services to engage fathers to be actively involved in their children's lives upon release. Further, we will provide secondary prevention services with Department of Human Resources staff to assist inmates upon release to connect with local services to acquire jobs, education, parenting skills, and fulfill their child support obligations, ensuring successful transition into their children's lives, families, and communities. Dedicated Dads will further increase community awareness of sound fatherhood and parenting best practices by providing primary prevention education to the general community through a fatherhood educational summit. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.alabamaparentcenter.com | | | | |
| 2 | Alabama Parent Education Center | Special Families | Parent Education and Support | Elmore | \$9,740.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Elmore | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Alabama Parent Education Center's Special Families project will provide both primary and secondary training and awareness to families and those who serve them. Special Families will provide secondary prevention services to parents of children with disabilities to assist them to positively parent their children and connect with other families and community resources thereby reducing parental stress and isolation. Special Families will provide primary prevention services to agency personnel and the community at large to increase awareness of disability related issues and the associated risk for abuse and neglect of children with disabilities or special needs. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.alabamaparentcenter.com | | | | |
| 2 | Alabama Parent Education Center, Inc. | Fathers Forward | Fatherhood | Elmore | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Elmore | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: APEC provides services to assist families particularly those underserved including minority, low-income, and those with children with disabilities. APEC provides parents with training, information, and support to help them become meaningful participants in their children's education and lives. Fathers Forward will provide both primary and secondary prevention programing to assist primarily non-custodial fathers to assume legal, financial and emotional responsibility for their children. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.alabamaparentcenter.com | | | | |

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| 2 | Alabama Partnership for Children | Parent Leadership Project | Statewide Initiatives | Montgomery | \$27,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Statewide | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | <p>APC will offer orientation sessions in each FRC which will include a description of the APLN program and an invitation to all center families that are interested in participating.</p> <p>Once a group of parent participants is identified, the FRC will host a series of parent engagement activities, overseen and supported by APC staff. During the series new leaders will emerge who will be invited to be the Parent Mentors and Leaders in the next APLN capacity-building series. In this way community leadership will expand to surrounding communities in a viral manner. Parent Mentors will remain connected with APC staff to ensure the collaborative integrity of the program and to maintain open lines of communication.</p> <p>Parent participants will be invited to exchange contact information and remain connected through regular meetings as often as they determine is feasible and in ways that allow their full participation as leaders and policy influencers. Contact information will be maintained by APC who will communicate with each local group to connect them together in a statewide Network.</p> | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.SmartStartAlabama.org | | | |
| 2 | Alabama Partnership for Children | Alabama Strengthening Families Early Childhood Initiative | Parent Education and Support | Montgomery | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery, Chambers, Escambia, Houston, Jefferson, Limestone, Morgan, Talladega, Tuscaloosa | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Strengthening Families initiative is a primary prevention method intended to stop maltreatment before it occurs. It provides a unique way to encourage positive parenting, knowledge of age-appropriate child development, and the roles and responsibilities of parenting by building protective factors and engaging early childhood programs. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.SmartStartAlabama.org | | | |
| 2 | Alfred Saliba Family Services Center | Strong Families | Home Visiting | Houston | \$90,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Houston | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | <p>The ASFSC HIPPY /HIPPY Plus program serves families with children ages 3 to 5. HIPPY (Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters) is a home-visitation program that focuses on parent-involved early learning and provides solutions that strengthen families. Adding HIPPY Plus allows for an additional component offered to the families considered at risk of developing problems related to child maltreatment. At-risk families can be identified through the Protective Factors survey and self-referral. The purpose of this program is to address the prevention of child abuse and neglect as well two of the top priorities identified in the annual Children's Needs Assessment developed by our area Children's Policy Council to address: Improve Parenting Skills, and Improve Quality Child Care Programs. The Curricula utilized for this program, Nurturing Parent and HIPPY USA, have proven strategies that address all of these as well as establishing the protective factors needed for children and families to be successful.</p> | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.salibacenter.org | | | |

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| 2 | Alfred Saliba Family Services Center | HIPPY Plus | Home Visiting | Houston | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Houston | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The ASFSC HIPPY /HIPPY Plus program serves families with children ages 3 to 5. HIPPY (Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters) is a home-visitation program that focuses on parent-involved early learning and provides solutions that strengthen families. Adding HIPPY Plus allows for an additional component offered to the families considered at risk of developing problems related to child maltreatment. At-risk families can be identified through the Protective Factors survey and self-referral. The purpose of this program is to address the prevention of child abuse and neglect as well two of the top priorities identified in the annual Children's Needs Assessment developed by our area Children's Policy Council to address: Improve Parenting Skills, and Improve Quality Child Care Programs. The Curricula utilized for this program, Nurturing Parent and HIPPY USA, have proven strategies that address all of these as well as establishing the protective factors needed for children and families to be successful. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.salibacenter.org | | | | |
| 2 | Auburn University | Elmore/Coosa County Parent Education and Support Program | Parent Education and Support | Elmore | \$36,500.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Elmore, Coosa, Montgomery | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Elmore/Coosa Parent Education and Support Program is a comprehensive parenting resource for families with children pre-natal through age 18 in Elmore and Coosa County. Three agent assistants will provide research based parenting education programs, information, and support to small groups and individuals. Monthly and weekly sessions are scheduled for teen parents in schools, volunteer participants, and court or DHR referred parents. All sessions are free and open to the public. | | | | |
| | Website Address: cws.auburn.edu/vpr/osp.default.aspx | | | | |
| 2 | Butler County Board of Education | Butler County Center Parenting Program | Parent Education and Support | Butler | \$37,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Butler | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Butler County Parenting Program will offer informative and meaningful prevention programs, events and activities for all parents. The goals of the program will be to enhance parenting skills with a focus of reducing and eliminating child abuse and neglect, to provide substantial parenting and coping skills related to identified risk factors and protective factors for students and their families, to arrange for support services for participants through collaboration with local and State agencies, and to promote public awareness of child abuse and neglect prevention by helping to educate all stakeholders. The Parenting Program committed to obtaining each goal outlined and decreasing academic, social, and personal barriers of students and families. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.butlerco.k12.al.us | | | | |

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| 2 | Dale County Children's Policy Council DBA Ozark-Dale County Family Service Center | Parents As Teachers | Home Visiting | Dale | \$47,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Dale | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Parents as Teachers home visitation program operated by the Ozark-Dale County Family Service Center is an evidenced based program designed to reach all families with young children ages birth to 5. Locally, our program will target high-needs groups such as low-income families, adolescent parents, and parents with limited English proficiency. The models primary goal is to enhance child development and school readiness through parent education while helping families remove risk factors for child abuse and neglect. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ozarkdalefamily.org | | | |
| 2 | Dale County Children's Policy Council DBA Ozark-Dale County Family Service Center | JADA Project (Juveniles Accessing Detention Alternatives) | Parent Education and Support | Dale | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Dale | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The JADA Project operated by the Ozark-Dale County Family Service Center will provide classes for juveniles and their parents court-ordered by the Dale County Juvenile Court System. The program is designed to provide alternatives to juvenile detention systems by providing classes and additional anger management and home monitoring services year round to deal with juvenile delinquency, delinquent behavior, drugs and gang activity, parental involvement and other at-risk behavior for youth ages 7-19. Classes are held weekly for 10 total weeks with additional services offered in Anger Management and Home Monitoring for families and juveniles with one or more risk factors as defined by the Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ozarkdalefamily.org | | | |
| 2 | Family Guidance Center of Alabama | Chisholm Prevention Program | Home Visiting | Montgomery | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Family Guidance Center's Success By 6 Chisholm Prevention Program is a program designed to prevent child abuse and neglect in the Chisholm Community. The program offers pre-k, home visitation, parenting classes, case management, crisis support, resource and referral services, and domestic violence screening. The goal of the program is to help children in this community to enter kindergarten safe, healthy, and ready to learn. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.familyguidancecenter.org | | | |
| 2 | Family Guidance Center of Alabama | Parenting Matters | Responsible Fatherhood | Montgomery | \$600,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Parenting Matters Program, a program of Family Guidance Center of Alabama. Parenting Matters offers a wide continuum of fathering services including case management, support groups for fathers, and employment assistance. The comprehensive, no cost services support fathers as they identify, pursue, and attain the important goals of economic, relationship, and parenting stability. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.familyguidancecenter.org | | | |

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| 2 | Family Services Center of Coffee County | Building Blocks and Young Parents | Home Visiting | Coffee | \$46,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Coffee, Dale, Pike | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Building Blocks and Young Parents are programs that provide home visits for parent education, support groups and resource referral for pregnant and parenting teens as well as other parents up to 35 years old. Parent Educators teach the “Parents as Teachers” curriculum in the home, screen children for developmental delays and make appropriate referrals for assistance with family stability issues. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 2 | Family Services Center of Coffee County | Assessment and Referral | Parent Education and Support | Coffee | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Coffee, Dale, Pike | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Assessment and Referral Program provides comprehensive case management to promote family stability. It provides help with meeting needs and finding resources, help with finding solutions for family problems, parent education and long and short term planning for family stability. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 2 | Family Services Center of Coffee County | Coffee County Fatherhood Initiative | Fatherhood | Coffee | \$31,745.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Coffee, Dale, Pike | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Family Services Center of Coffee County proposes a continuation of the Coffee County Fatherhood Initiative, the goal of which is to enhance the ability of non-custodial fathers to be a responsible parent. This program is a secondary prevention program because its strategies address the particular risk factors that are generally common to this population and will seek to prevent child abuse or neglect before it occurs. It is imperative that we take a proactive approach to assisting these absent fathers so that they will accept their legal and moral obligation to the family that they helped to create. It is the goal of the Coffee County Fatherhood Initiative to work with court ordered non-custodial fathers, DHR referrals and voluntary participants to provide parenting education, life skills education, resolution of personal obstacles, case management and assistance with obtaining and keeping employment. The desired end result is that the father will do whatever it takes to consistently maintain his financial obligations to the child, has a nurturing relationship with his child and has a cooperative parenting partnership with the custodial parent. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 2 | Family Support Center | Love Me, Don't Hurt Me | Public Awareness and Training | Autauga | \$5,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Autauga | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Love me, Don't Hurt Me is a public awareness program to educate and train all child daycare providers (including public, private and church daycares), high school students and the public about the harmful and potential fatal effects of SBS and abusive head trauma and is considered both primary and secondary prevention. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.acfsc.org | | | | |

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| 2 | Family Support Center | F.A.M.I.L.I.E.S. | Parent Education and Support | Autauga | \$32,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Autauga | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The purpose our F.A.M.I.L.I.E.S. and Bright Beginnings programs is to prevent child abuse and neglect by increasing protective factors in parents through parent education in such areas as stress/anger management, healthy ways to discipline and manage behavior, understanding normal behaviors of children, use of community resources and the importance of violence-free homes. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.acfsc.org | | | |
| 2 | Family Support Center | DADS (Dads Are Dependable and Supportive) | Responsible Fatherhood | Autauga | \$75,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Autauga | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Family Support Center's Pathways Program's consists of four components or activity areas including case management, fatherhood/parenting classes, GED instruction and job readiness training. The Center provides all four activities and begins with initial recruitment and eligibility determination for potential Pathways participants. The curriculum used is 24/7 Dads and Together We Can. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.acfsc.org | | | |
| 2 | Family Support Center | COPE | School-Based | Autauga | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Autauga | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | COPE is an instructional class designed for multiple teenagers who have been determined to have problems with anger/crisis management or peer and authority interaction by the school system and are placed in the in-school suspension program. In particular, the primary prevention COPE program serves teens because of their poor coping skills are at risk of abusing their peers and/or younger siblings within their own homes. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.acfsc.org | | | |
| 2 | Gift of Life Foundation | This One's For the Girls | Home Visiting | Montgomery | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | <p>The purpose of this program is to secondarily prevent child abuse and neglect. This program will provide young mothers with intensive case management and support, education and resources through utilization of the evidenced-based Parents as Teachers (PAT) home visitation model.</p> <p>In this project, the parent educator will be registered nurse with at least 2 years of maternal and child health experience. The GOL PAT program will be physically housed at Lanier High School. A large room has been made available by the Lanier administration for use not only as the parent educator office, but to use as both a formal and informal meeting area. This room, titled The Girls' Room will have a resource area, breastfeeding areas and an area for study. The PAT model requires that group meetings be held on a monthly basis (in addition to the twice monthly home visits) so these meetings will be held in The Girls Room.</p> | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.golfound.com | | | |

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| 2 | Gift of Life Foundation | Gift of Life Nurse Family Partnership | Home Visiting | Montgomery | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The purpose of Gift of Life (GOL)-Nurse Family Partnership is to secondarily prevent child abuse and neglect. Nurse Family Partnership is an evidence-based home visiting model that uses registered nurses to work with first-time, low-income mothers, beginning prenatally and until the child reaches age two. The nurse home visitor visits an average of twice per month unless circumstances or need dictate otherwise. GOL has a team of five nurses who serve the Medicaid-eligible population of Montgomery County. The NFP Visit Guidelines specify the structure of the home visit and content to be covered. Topics cover six domains that range from Maternal and Infant Health to Parenting to Life Planning. The nurse home visitors provide intensive case management and support thus fully utilize their existing nursing skills, particularly their knowledge of human growth and development and the physiology of pregnancy. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.golfound.com | | | |
| 2 | Healthy Kids | Healthy Kids EXCEL | Parent Education and Support | Butler | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Butler, Crenshaw, Lowndes, Conecuh, Monroe, Dallas, Hale | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Healthy Kids Excel is a parent support program that focuses on preventing child abuse and neglect in our community. This program gives parents and the community the tools they need through education, to build strong families. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.healthykidsal.org | | | |
| 2 | Healthy Kids | Butler County HIPPY | Parent Education and Support | Butler | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Butler | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | HIPPY (Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters) is a research based program designed to empower parents to take active roles as their child's primary educators. HIPPY has proven effective in helping children start school ready to learn. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.healthykidsal.org | | | |
| 2 | Montgomery Area Family Violence Program, Inc. dba Family Sunshine Center | Child Safety Advocacy Program | School-Based | Montgomery | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Autauga, Butler, Chilton, Crenshaw, Elmore, Lowndes, Montgomery | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The program intends to equip children and youth with skills designed to protect them from physical assault, abduction, emotional or psychological abuse, etc. by the hands of strangers and/or families members using the scientifically-based "Yello Dyno" Personal Safety curriculum. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.familysunshine.org | | | |

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| 2 | Montgomery Area Nontraditional Equestrians | MANE | Respite Care | Montgomery | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery, Elmore, Autauga, Macon, Lowndes | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | MANE's mission is to provide safe and effective therapeutic horsemanship programs to children and adults with emotional, cognitive, development, and physical disabilities. MANE offers respite care for both these riders and their families through participant in in three ten week-session as well summer and winter camps. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.maneweb.org | | | |
| 2 | Montgomery Public Schools | Parents As Teachers (PAT) | Home Visiting | Montgomery | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The mission of the Montgomery Public Schools (MPS) Parents As Teachers (PAT) Program is to provide parenting skills to teen parents enrolled in MPS that will help to prevent child abuse and neglect and increase their level of confidence as teen parents. As a result of the home visits conducted by the PAT Parent Educators, the children born to the teen parents enrolled in this nationally validated parenting program have a much better chance of growing up in a nurturing and supportive environment that offers children a change to maximize their potential. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.mps.k12.al.us | | | |
| 2 | Organized Community Action Programs, Inc. | Pike County Fatherhood Initiative | Fatherhood | Pike | \$35,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Pike | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The OCAP provides a fatherhood program in Pike County with the administration of the program located at the central office in Troy. The program is in its 6th year and we continue to improve relationships between father/mothers and their children while increasing child support payments. | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 2 | Second Chance Foundation | Second Chance Life Skills Program | School-Based | Montgomery | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Montgomery, Autauga, Elmore, Lowndes | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Second Chance program provides intensive school-based services for youth who have been expelled or otherwise removed from public school for severe behavioral offenses, often involving violence. The Second Chance Life Skills Project will provide secondary prevention services to this population of extremely high risk adolescents and their families. The program will use evidence-based interventions to focus on reducing child abuse and neglect risk factors through family counseling and parent involvement, while enhancing protective factors by strengthening resiliency, teaching critical social and emotional life skills, and increasing healthy connections to adults and school. | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |

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| 2 | United Cerebral Palsy of Central Alabama dba UCP of Mobile, Inc. | HEARTS Respite Replication Program | Respite Care | Mobile | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Autauga, Barbour, Bullock, Butler, Coffee, Conecuh, Covington, Crenshaw, Dale, Elmore, Geneva, Henry, Houston, Lowndes, Montgomery, Pike | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The HEARTS Respite Replication Project (HRRP) offers skilled, unskilled, and voucher respite for caregivers. Caregivers provide round-the-clock care for a child with a special health need in District One. This program gives parents and caregivers of children with disabilities, temporary relief from the constant stress involved in caring for a child with a special health care need. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ucpmobile.org | | | |
| 3 | Auburn University | Pathways to Responsible Fatherhood Y4 Evaluation | Statewide Initiatives | Lee | \$68,854.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Statewide | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Auburn University will work with ADCANP staff and RFP grantees to provide evaluation and technical assistance. | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 3 | Chambers County Council for Neglected and Dependent Children and Youth, Inc. dba The Circle of Care Center | Special Deliveries | Home Visiting | Chambers | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Chambers | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Special Deliveries is a home visitation program primarily for first time mothers and fathers. Parents are served from pregnancy until their child reaches 5 years of age. The Parent Educator visits the home once a month, however, more visits can be made if needed. The Parent Educator provides information regarding the child's development in the areas of language, social, intellectual, and motor skills using the Parents As Teachers model. The family also enjoys a parent/child activity at each visit. A book is given to each child monthly. Parent Connection Meetings are held once a month so that families can meet, hear about topics of interest, share in activities with their children, and discuss concerns they may have. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.circleofcarecenter.com | | | |
| 3 | Child Care Resource Center, Inc. | Parent Provider Connection | Home Visiting | Lee | \$35,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Chambers, Lee, Macon, Russell, Tallapoosa | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Parent Provider Connection (PPC) program works with parents and providers to help them learn developmentally appropriate activities and information specific to the ages of their children or the children in their care. We share child development information with parents while the children are busy playing with the activity. We help the parents learn to observe their children, address their parenting concerns, and engage the family in activities that provide meaningful parent-child interaction. Information on child development, positive guidance and child abuse and neglect are also shared with the providers and parents. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ccrcc-alabama.org | | | |

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| 3 | Children and Family Connection of Russell County, Inc. | Healthy Relationships Program | School-Based | Russell | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Russell | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | <p>The Healthy Relationships Program at Children and Family Connection focuses on assisting 8th grade students enrolled in Russell County Middle School in building skills and attitudes known to facilitate the sustenance of healthy relationship functioning and reduces problem beliefs, attitudes, and behaviors pertaining to dating relationships that may contribute to an increased incidence of conflict and violence in interpersonal relationships.</p> <p>The Healthy Relationships Program at Children and Family Connection focuses on assisting 8th grade students enrolled in Russell County Middle School in building skills and attitudes known to facilitate the sustenance of healthy relationship functioning and reduces problem beliefs, attitudes, and behaviors pertaining to dating relationships that may contribute to an increased incidence of conflict and violence in interpersonal relationships.</p> | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.childrenandfamilyconnection.com | | | |
| 3 | Coosa Valley Youth Services | CVYS Parent Project | Parent Education and Support | Calhoun | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Calhoun, Cherokee, DeKalb, Etowah, St. Clair, Talladega | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | <p>The CVYS Parent Project is a 9 week cycle that meets on Sundays from 3:00 to 6:00 pm. The parents of the youth in our facilities are court ordered to attend. We use the Parent Project curriculum called Dealing with Difficult Teens. This curriculum provides techniques to deal with all teens to provide more positive coping skills. We also include the requirements of the CTF grant. Our program has also implemented the Protective Factors Framework and this has made the program much better for the parents.</p> | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.cvys.net | | | |
| 3 | East Alabama Mental Health | Special Deliveries | Home Visiting | Lee | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Lee | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | <p>Special Deliveries at East Alabama Mental Health aims to strengthen families and prevent child maltreatment and neglect in Lee County through our home visitation program. The Special Deliveries program provides parent education, counseling, case management and family support services for pregnant women and families with children ages 0 to Kindergarten Entry. Our services focus on increasing the protective factors in the lives of our families in order to empower families to raise safe, healthy, and happy children who are prepared for life success.</p> | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.eastalabamamhc.org/ | | | |

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| 3 | East Central Alabama United Cerebral Palsy, Inc. | ECAUCP HEARTS Respite Project | Respite Care | Calhoun | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Calhoun, Chambers, Cherokee, Clay, Cleburne, Coosa, Lee, Macon, Randolph, Russell, Talladega, Tallapoosa | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The ECAUCP HEARTS Respite Project program provides reimbursement funding for respite care for families of children with special needs under the age of 21 in District 3. This program offers respite through a voucher system allowing families to hire caregivers of their choice and offers the families flexibility of when, where and how much respite is needed. We also provide monthly information packets to all our families on upcoming events in the District. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.eaucp.org | | | |
| 3 | Employers' Child Care Alliance | Family Resource Center Mobile Resource Unit- Community Awareness | Public Awareness and Training | Lee | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Lee | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Utilizing an infant doll simulator and curriculum, trainers will address the signs and symptoms of Shaken Baby Syndrome, the areas of the brain that are affected by severe shaking, what happens physically when a baby or small child is shaken, how a baby's crying can trigger a caregiver's shaking a baby, the characteristics or profile of a person likely to shake a baby and a plan for handling frustration, anger, and stress when a baby cries (Reality Works). The program will be delivered through our mobile resource unit to our existing public/private partnerships with employers', all local school systems, hospitals, court systems, colleges, universities, faith-based, for profit and non-profit entities. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ccrcc-alabama.org | | | |
| 3 | Family Services of Calhoun County, Inc. | Parenting Education and Support | Parent Education and Support | Calhoun | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Calhoun | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Active Parenting Classes are provided through a six-week class format which includes information and homework assignments to assist parents of infants to teens, in developing skills needed to provide a safe and healthy home environment. | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 3 | FIRST Family Service Center | Building Blocks | Parent Education and Support | Talladega | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Talladega, St. Clair | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Building Blocks is a hospital visitation program with Shaken Baby Syndrome demonstrations to all new mothers/visitors. If these families enroll they receive a mail out by monthly until child turns three about milestones and general baby information. At 4 months a follow up call is made and the Protective Factor Survey is done. They will continue to get this follow up (survey) yearly until the age of three or if they move or opt out. | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |

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| 3 | FIRST Family Service Center | In-Home Parent Education | Parent Education and Support | Talladega | \$17,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Talladega, St. Clair | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: This parent education program is provided in the home or other place agreed on by both the consumer and the worker. These meetings can be individual, couple or group sessions. The worker helps the parent set parenting goals and gives them the tools to reach the goals. The worker helps the parent to recognize their strengths and to build on these. A pre – test is completed at the first visit and the post test is completed when the case closes. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 3 | Sylacauga Alliance for Family Enhancement, Inc. | Turning Point | Parent Education and Support | Talladega | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Talladega | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Turning Point, a juvenile diversion program, will provide an effective after-school, in-home intervention/prevention program that is designed specifically for families of strong-willed and/or out of control youth between the ages of 11-17. These youth will be identified as those who have been brought to the attention of school systems, juvenile courts, the county facilitation teams, as well as other referral sources located in Talladega County, Alabama | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.safesylacauga.com | | | | |
| 3 | Sylacauga Alliance for Family Enhancement, Inc. | SAFE Fatherhood Parenting Education and Support | Responsible Fatherhood | Talladega | \$80,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Talladega | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The primary purpose of the SAFE Responsible Fatherhood Program is to expand the existing community-based programs through SAFE to reduce the incidence of child abuse and neglect by empowering non-custodial or never married fathers to increase their self-esteem and their self-confidence in being an effective parent and by strengthening and supporting these families. The program offers an array of opportunities for participating fathers administered in a group setting and/or as individual one-on-one sessions either on-site at SAFE or at an alternate, accessible location in the community. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.safesylacauga.com | | | | |

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| 3 | Sylacauga Alliance for Family Enhancement, Inc. | SAFE Home Visitation and Outreach Program | Home Visiting | Talladega | \$45,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Talladega | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The SAFE Home Visitation and Outreach program will provide a comprehensive community based secondary child abuse and neglect prevention model that offers a broad array of service opportunities for families of youth pre-natally through 10 years of age. The goal of this program is to decrease community risk factors and increase protective factors related to child abuse maltreatment. These services are voluntary and will attempt to influence societal forces (risk and protective factors) that impact parents and children. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.safesylacauga.com | | | |
| 3 | Talladega Clay Randolph Child Care Corporation | A Child's Haven | School-Based | Talladega | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Talladega | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | A Child's Haven (ACH) is a full day preschool program that serves children who have been or at a high risk of being subjected to any form of abuse or neglect. It is located within the Frank Curry Child Development located in Talladega, Alabama. ACH provides eleven children with a full day program following the local school system calendars and utilizes the Second Step preschool violence prevention curriculum. All children that participate receive medical screenings to include a physical, eye exam, hearing exam and dental screening. Parents benefit through participating in a variety of educational workshops to include positive guidance and discipline, healthy meals and snacks, age appropriate activities, Shaken Baby, and assistance in finding local resources. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.tcrchildcarecorporation.org | | | |
| 3 | Twin Cedars Youth and Family Services, Inc. | Keeping Family Connections Supervised Visitation - A Program of Twin Cedars Youth & Family Services | Home Visiting | Lee | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Lee | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Keeping Family Connections will provide regularly scheduled supervised visitation for non-custodial parents and their children on a weekly, biweekly or monthly basis. Trained undergraduate Social Work Students will serve as monitors to provide the visitation supervision, with on-site supervision for the Program Coordinator. Visit monitors provide supervision of the visits in person and may also intervene during the visits to facilitate positive interaction between the parents and children. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.twincedars.org | | | |

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| 4 | Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Alabama | Big Brothers Big Sisters One-to-One Mentoring | Mentoring | Etowah | \$20,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: DeKalb, Cherokee, Etowah, Calhoun, Talladega</p> <p>Program Narrative: This grant will support our Community and School Based Mentoring program that serves children facing adversity. This program model will partner with parents / guardians, volunteers and others in the community and provide strong and enduring professionally supported one-to-one relationships for children. Our goal is to ensure that each child has the opportunity to achieve educational success, have higher aspirations, better relationships, greater confidence and avoid abuse and risky behaviors.</p> <p>Website Address: www.bbbsneal.org</p> | | | | |
| 4 | Family Services of North Alabama | Marshall County Fatherhood Initiative Program | Fatherhood | Marshall | \$50,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Marshall, Blount</p> <p>Program Narrative: The Marshall County Fatherhood Initiative and Blount County Fatherhood Initiative are programs of Family Svcs of North Alabama. Our Fatherhood Initiative programs will be a parenting advocate for Marshall and Blount County fathers and other noncustodial parents.</p> <p>Website Address: www.familyservicesna.org</p> | | | | |
| 4 | Family Services of North Alabama | Community Awareness to Prevent Child Abuse and Neglect | Public Awareness and Training | Marshall | \$10,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Marshall</p> <p>Program Narrative: The CAPCAN program exists to educate Marshall County middle, and junior-high students, and their parents to recognize potential Internet threats and teach them Internet and technology-based safety skills; thus, preventing child abuse and exploitation.</p> <p>Website Address: www.familyservicesna.org</p> | | | | |
| 4 | Family Success Center of Etowah County, Inc. | Safe and Successful Child Abuse Prevention Program | School-Based | Etowah | \$30,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Etowah</p> <p>Program Narrative: The Safe and Successful Child Abuse Prevention Program of the Family Success Center is a school-based program in Etowah County serving students from Kindergarten through 10th grade. The programs are taught in all three school systems and several private schools This program also serves an average of 134,000 residents of our county each year in community outreach and education.</p> <p>Website Address: www.family-success.org</p> | | | | |

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| 4 | Gadsden State Community College | Etowah County Alabama Fatherhood Initiative (Skills Training Division) | Responsible Fatherhood | Etowah | \$75,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Etowah, Calhoun | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Gadsden State Community College's efforts through the Etowah County Alabama Fatherhood Initiative (Skills Training Division) help participants gain knowledge in the areas of 1) Healthy Relationships, 2) Responsible Parenting and 3) Economic Stability. These activities are designed to foster the development of new, stronger relationships between parents and their children as well as to help parents become financially self-sufficient. The target populations are parents receiving or at risk of receiving TANF assistance, low-income parents at risk of facing challenges, including parents who are high-school dropouts, non-custodial and other single parents. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 4 | Jasper Area Family Services Center, Inc | Walker Fatherhood initiative | Fatherhood | Walker | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Walker | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: JAFSC is a secondary prevention program for noncustodial parents working to prevent child abuse and neglect for children and families. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 4 | Jasper Area Family Services Center, Inc. | Baby T.A.L.K. | Parent Education and Support | Walker | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Walker, Fayette, Cullman, Lamar, Blount, Marion, Winston | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Baby TALK establishes relationships with parents and encourages them in establishing nurturing relationships with their children. Provides basic child development information during the first three years. It encourages parents to read aloud to their children from birth to aid in a child's linguistic abilities while providing a joy in reading that will last a lifetime. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.jafsc.org | | | | |
| 4 | Marshall-Jackson 310 Agency | Special Families/Special Needs Program | Home Visiting | Jackson | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Marshall, Jackson | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Special Families/Special Needs program is an in-home preventative education program that offers parent education and support to families of children and adolescents with development disabilities. The needs of the families vary from behavior management issues, lack of parenting skills, economic hardships, need for out of home placement, and need for resources. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |

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| 4 | Thirteenth Place, Inc. | PEACE (Positive Educational Alternatives to help our Children Excel) | School-Based | Etowah | \$23,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Statewide | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | PEACE Program is to teach positive choices to middle age school children such as anti bullying, no to drugs, internet safety along with child abuse awareness. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.thirteenthplace.com | | | |
| 4 | United Way's Success By 6 | HOME (Helping Our Mothers Excel) Program | Home Visiting | Etowah | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Etowah | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | HOME program serves pregnant teens through the county and city school system by teaching parenting classes and home visitation. We also teach early brain development, shaken baby syndrome and safe sleep to the local hospital prenatal classes, Etowah Baptist Mission Center and Gadsden Women's Clinic. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.unitedwayec.com | | | |
| 4 | Walker County Children's Policy Council, Inc. | Parent Project of Walker County | Parent Education and Support | Walker | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Walker | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Walker County Children's Policy Council desires to improve the lives and opportunities for children and families in Walker County. The program was started as a community effort to provide support to families of at-risk, strong-willed, out-of-control children. The program is a secondary prevention program and has strong collaboration with community partners with a goal of preventing child abuse and neglect. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.walkercountycpc.org | | | |
| 5 | Athens Limestone County Family Resource Center | Parents as Teachers | Home Visiting | Limestone | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Limestone | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Parents as Teachers (PAT) program is a parent support and parent education program for families with children 0 to 3. The PAT model includes one-on-one home visits, monthly group meetings, developmental screenings, and a resource network for families. Through these services, the PAT program aims to prevent child abuse and neglect, increase parent knowledge child development, provide early detection of developmental delays and health issues, and increase children's school readiness. | | | |
| | Website Address: | https://www.facebook.com/alcfamilyresourcecenter | | | |

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| 5 | Athens State University | Child Defend Project | Statewide Initiatives | Limestone | \$89,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Statewide | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Mission of Child Defend is to protect children involved in cases of abuse or neglect by enhancing the expertise of the Judges and Attorneys who serve them. Child Defend seeks to carry out this mission by providing professionals with an online RESOURCE CENTER, secure COMMUNICATION TOOLS, and a network of PRO BONO ATTORNEYS to mentor child-and-family service providers throughout the State. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.childdefend.org | | | |
| 5 | Attention Homes of Northwest Alabama, Inc. | REAL (Referral to Education and Assistance Liaison) Parent Program | Parent Education and Support | Lauderdale | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Colbert, Franklin, Lauderdale, and the remaining counties in the state of Alabama on a space available basis. | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The REAL (Referral to Educational and Assistance Liaison) Parent Program is a program implemented by the Attention Homes of Northwest Alabama Inc. to assist the parents/guardians of our clients in parenting education and referral to and assistance with obtaining needed social services. This program links parental clients to resources available on the state and community level, and educates them in such areas as improving communication, how to better understand their child, child development, problem solving, and stress relief with the overall goal of establishing protective factors in their homes. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.attentionhomesofnwal.org | | | |
| 5 | Big Brothers Big Sisters of North Alabama | School-Based Mentoring/Reading & Literacy Initiative | School-Based | Madison | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Madison | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Big Brothers Big Sisters is the oldest, largest, and most effective youth mentoring organization in the United States. We have been the leader in one-to-one youth service for more than a century, developing positive relationships that have a direct impact on the lives of young people. Big Brothers Big Sisters mentors children, ages 5-18, in communities across the country. Incorporated in 1982, Big Brothers Big Sisters of North Alabama currently serves children in Madison, Limestone, Jackson and Marshall Counties. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.bbbsna.org | | | |
| 5 | Calhoun Community College | CWD Public Awareness Campaign | Statewide Initiatives | Limestone | \$55,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Statewide | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Provide a Public Awareness Campaign for the Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention which will include Brochures, Public Service Announcements and Billboards. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.calhoun.edu | | | |

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| 5 | Calhoun Community College | Alabama Parenthood Initiative | Responsible Fatherhood | Limestone | \$85,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Limestone, Morgan, Madison, Lawrence | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Pathways to Responsible Fatherhood program (PRF) will provide services to 100 parents receiving or at risk of receiving TANF assistance or who previously received TANF assistance, other low-income parents, and parents at risk of facing challenges. This includes parents who are high school dropouts, non-custodial and other single parents, parents with disabilities, and parents who are Veterans. In addition, API will provide 25 of these participants with training and apprenticeships to further help them enter gainful employment to support themselves and their families. Participation in the program will be strictly voluntary. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.calhoun.edu | | | |
| 5 | Calhoun Community College | Alabama Parenthood Initiative | Public Awareness and Training | Limestone | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Limestone, Morgan, Madison, Lawrence | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Public Awareness and Training Program will specifically provide education on domestic violence to 100 participants by providing the following community resources: four (4) cybersecurity training sessions (one per quarter) for parents, advertisement of prevention programs through Calhoun's website, weekly bulletin, and electronic billboard. Underserved parents who are high school dropouts, non-custodial and other single parents, parents with disabilities, and parents who are Veterans, will be given preference. Participation in the program will be strictly voluntary. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.calhoun.edu | | | |
| 5 | Calhoun Community College | Alabama Parenthood Initiative | Parent Education and Support | Limestone | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Limestone, Morgan, Madison, Lawrence | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Parenting Education and Support Program will specifically provide education on domestic violence to 75 participants through classes on healthy relationships, parenting, shaken baby prevention, and coping skills. In addition, the program will provide 50 of these participants with the following skills training: job and career readiness including resume development, application, and job search assistance; case management services to provide ongoing support and job leads; job training sessions; and adult basic education services including testing, training, and GED preparation/completion. Underserved parents who are high school dropouts, non-custodial and other single parents, parents with disabilities, and parents who are Veterans, will be given preference. Participation in the program will be strictly voluntary. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.calhoun.edu | | | |

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| 5 | Community Action Agency of Northwest Alabama, Inc. | MOTHERS | Parent Education and Support | Lauderdale | \$18,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Lauderdale, Colbert, Franklin | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The MOTHERS Program is a 16-week parenting class for women that will equip mothers and caregivers with skills for better parenting. Certified instructors teach appropriate parenting responses to child behavior, child abuse neglect prevention and include self-assessments for parenting weaknesses, including anger issues while building self-esteem. Case management for mothers assists with budgeting, employment and education referral for self-sufficiency. Most women are court or DHR ordered but any mother may join the classes. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.caanw.org | | | | |
| 5 | Community Action Agency of Northwest Alabama, Inc. | Northwest Alabama Responsible Parenting | Responsible Fatherhood | Lauderdale | \$100,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Lauderdale, Colbert, Franklin | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Northwest Alabama responsible Parenting Program is designed to work with at risk families both fathers and mothers. The goal of the Northwest Alabama Responsible Parenting program is to teach Responsible Fatherhood, Healthy Relationships, and Financial Stability as the core curricula issues to help reunite and establish strong families as pathway to raising healthy children. We also incorporate domestic violence, smoke cessation, shaken baby syndrome and safe sleep as a method to prevention of possible crib death. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.caanw.org | | | | |
| 5 | Family Services Center, Inc. | Families and Schools Together (FAST) | Parent Education and Support | Madison | \$17,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Madison | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: FAST (Families and Schools Together) is an eight-week program where whole families meet at Title I schools on Thursday evenings for family meals, communication exercises, parent support groups, children's enrichment activities, and numerous fun opportunities designed to strengthen the bonds within and between families As a result, social support systems are established, families become more closely affiliated with their schools, and parents are empowered to raise happy, healthy children, thereby helping to prevent child abuse and neglect. We maintain contact with graduate families and assist them with community resources and services as needed. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.fsc-hsv.org | | | | |
| 5 | Lawrence County Schools | TEEN PARENTS AS TEACHERS | Home Visiting | Lawrence | \$29,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Lawrence | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Lawrence County Schools Teen Parents As Teachers program is a Home Visitation program serving Teen Parents ages 12 to 20. The program operates Monday - Friday 7:30 until 3:30. The program offers group meetings, one on one sessions, and family meetings. The program's goal is to educate Teen Parents how to nurture and parent their children using an evidence based curriculum therefore helping to prevent abuse and neglect. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.lawrenceal.org | | | | |

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| 5 | National Children's Advocacy Center | Healthy Families North Alabama | Home Visiting | Madison | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Madison | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Healthy Families North Alabama is a child abuse prevention program of the National Children's Advocacy Center. The program works to prevent child abuse and neglect by providing evidenced-based, long-term and intensive home visitation services to at risk, first time parents and their children. Participating families reside in Madison County and are Medicaid eligible. Program services are based on the Healthy Families America (HFA) model and developed to work with overburdened families who are at risk for child abuse and neglect and other adverse childhood experiences. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.national cac.org | | | | |
| 5 | National Children's Advocacy Center | Just for Dads | Responsible Fatherhood | Madison | \$83,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Madison | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Partnership in Parenting offers twelve sessions (both individual and/or group) on an ongoing basis to interested individuals. Clients meet with the Coordinator weekly until the 12 sessions are completed. Session content includes parenting and healthy relationship education from the 24/7 Dad and/or the Together We Can curricula. The Coordinator requires that clients sign in at each session and they are given a certificate of completion when the 12 sessions are completed. The Coordinator will then follow up with each client via telephone (two phone calls each month) for three months. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.national cac.org | | | | |
| 5 | Parents and Children Together (PACT) | Parents as Teachers | Home Visiting | Morgan | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Morgan | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Parents As Teachers is a home-visitation program that focuses on early child growth and brain development. Activities encourage parent activity and provide opportunities for developmental assessment. Group meetings are held regularly for parents and children to have the opportunity to interact with others. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.pactfamily.org | | | | |
| 5 | Parents and Children Together (PACT) | Strengthening Families | Parent Education and Support | Morgan | \$35,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Morgan | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Strengthening Families is a variety of parenting programs designed to meet the various needs in our community. The NEWBORN program offers resource packets to all new parents that have their babies at the local hospital. Strengthening Families also includes Baby Talk (prenatal class) and Kids & You Parenting classes. These classes offer parents information and support. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.pactfamily.org | | | | |

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| 5 | Sheffield City Schools | Aim High Mentoring | Mentoring | Colbert | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Colbert | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Aim High Mentoring serves students facing adversity by matching them with an adult or high school mentor who helps and assists them to reach their full potential through weekly mentoring sessions. Mentoring activities are tailored toward the mentees needs. Some activities include working on school work, playing learning games and physical activities. The mentors help the mentees also address personal goals and character development to be all they can be. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.scs.k12.al.us | | | | |
| 5 | United Cerebral Palsy of Huntsville and Tennessee Valley, Inc. | HEARTS | Respite Care | Madison | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Madison, Limestone, Morgan, Marshall, Jackson | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The purpose of the HEARTS program is to decrease the risk of abuse and neglect by promoting protective factors and reducing the stress of fulltime caregiving duties associated with raising a child with a disability or with special health care needs. HEARTS provides vouchers for respite services to parents of children with disabilities, up to age 19. HEARTS also offers parent education and support including First Aid and CPR training. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.ucphuntsville.org | | | | |
| 5 | United Cerebral Palsy of Huntsville and Tennessee Valley, Inc. | Family Connections | Parent Education and Support | Madison | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Madison, Limestone, Morgan, Marshall, Jackson | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: UCP Huntsville's Family Connections program provides parent education for the purpose of preventing child abuse and neglect among parents who have children with special needs. Parent training will take place individually or in a group setting and will include topics such as: basic child development; nurturing parenting skills; behavioral modification strategies; coping skills; accessing resources; and recognizing thoughts or emotions that can lead to maltreatment. This program will also promote awareness of child abuse and neglect prevention in the local area, particularly among the disability community. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.ucphuntsville.org | | | | |
| 5 | United Cerebral Palsy of Northwest Alabama | HEARTS Respite | Respite Care | Colbert | \$17,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Colbert, Lauderdale, Franklin, Lawrence, Marion, Winston | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: HEARTS Respite Program is a voucher respite program for families of children who are birth to age 18 and have a developmental disability. Families must apply for this program with the respite coordinator each year. Once approved, the family will be notified of their approved reimbursement rate. They are then free to hire a sitter of their choice. Once they've hired and paid their sitter, they complete a payment voucher to submit to UCP of NWA by the end of the quarter. Once UCPNWA receives their voucher a check is cut and mailed to the family to reimburse them for their sitter up to the pre-approved amount. Families are notified at the beginning of each quarter of their pre-approved reimbursement limits. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.ucpshoals.org | | | | |

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| 6 | Alabama State CASA Network | Tri-County CASA | Non-School Based/After School | Jefferson | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: St. Clair, Talladega | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Alabama State CASA Network will continue to build the capacity of the Tri-County CASA program to recruit, train and supervise volunteer advocates who are appointed by a juvenile judge to represent the best interests of children who have been deemed abused and neglected by the Court. We will continue the work begun in St. Clair and Talladega Counties and will seek to open the program in Calhoun County. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.alabamacasa.org | | | | |
| 6 | Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Birmingham | School-Based Mentoring Program | Mentoring | Jefferson | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Jefferson, Blount, Shelby, St. Clair, Walker, Chilton | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: In the BBBS School-based Program, meetings between a Big and Little are limited to school grounds and take place once a week for one hour. Volunteers may be high school students or adult volunteers. Mentors commit to a minimum of one year and are also interviewed and thoroughly screened before being matched. As an organization that focuses on quality/safe programs for youth, BBBS employs an intense volunteer training and parent/child orientation that outlines the expectations of each match. In addition, each has a section devoted to identifying and reporting abuse and neglect. Activities are strategically geared toward addressing issues related to self-esteem, confidence, academic achievement, and character and increase the likelihood of youth choosing pro-social behaviors, learning to identify their feelings, understanding physical and emotional safety, as well as understanding how to report any risk of harm. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.bbbsbhm.org | | | | |
| 6 | Board of Trustees of the University of Alabama for the University of Alabama at Birmingham | Birmingham Fatherhood Initiative | Responsible Fatherhood | Jefferson | \$210,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Jefferson | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Birmingham fatherhood Initiative raises the awareness of male parenting, and issues that affect non-custodial fathers. The project aimed is to assist fathers in strengthening their relationships with their partners and to assure the emotional, moral, spiritual, and financial responsibility for their children. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.uab.edu/home | | | | |

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| 6 | Camp Fire Alabama | "I'm Safe and Sure" | School-Based | Jefferson | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | "I'm Safe and Sure" is a national program that helps kindergarten and first grade students learn how to protect themselves and prevent dangerous situations. It gives children an understanding of the importance of following rules, getting permission from caregivers and talking to trusted adults about dangerous situations. The program also increases awareness of how our feelings can be a warning of dangerous situations and the importance of heeding these internal warnings. | | | |
| | Website Address: | http://campfire-al.org | | | |
| 6 | Childcare Resources | Parent Education at Work | Parent Education and Support | Jefferson | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Blount, Jefferson, Shelby, Walker | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Childcare Resources' Parent Education @ Work program is designed to support working parents of young children as they balance work-life responsibilities. The researched-based program used the Nurturing Parenting curriculum, which focuses on parenting topics that can be taught at parent learning sessions held at worksites throughout the community. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ccr-bhm.org | | | |
| 6 | Children's Aid Society | EPIC Parenting Program | Parent Education and Support | Jefferson | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson Shelby | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Children's Aid Society's Effective Parenting Instruction Course (EPIC) Program provides FREE parenting classes using the Systematic Training for Effective Parenting (STEP) curriculum to Jefferson and Shelby County parents with children between the ages of 0 and 5 years. Groups are held weekly for 6-8 weeks and the materials are available in English and Spanish. The classes are designed to help strengthen each group member's parenting by providing skills training to parents in topics that include understanding young children's behavior and nurturing emotional and social development. The program encourages a more democratic parenting style of providing children choices and fostering responsibility, improving communication between parent and child, and helping children learn through natural and logical consequences. Additional topics discussed include Shaken Baby Prevention, Safe Sleep for Infants, and Smoking Cessation. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.childrensaid.org | | | |
| 6 | Exchange Club Child Abuse Prevention Center (formerly Exchange Club Family Skills | Speaker's Bureau | Public Awareness and Training | Jefferson | \$5,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson, Shelby, Bibb, St. Clair, Walker | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Exchange Club's Speaker's Bureau Program provides educational seminars and training to civic organizations, church's, youth groups, schools, daycare's, social service agencies or any other groups about various topics related to child abuse prevention, positive parenting skills and/or basic living skills throughout the State of Alabama. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.StopChildAbuseAlabama.com | | | |

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| 6 | Exchange Club Child Abuse Prevention Center (formerly Exchange Club Family Skills | Parent Aide Program | Home Visiting | Jefferson | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Jefferson, Shelby, Bibb, St. Clair, Walker | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: This program is a one-on-one in home parent education program. The Parent Educator works with the family for a minimum of six months providing education, support, encouragement, and community resource opportunities. The Parent Educator mentor and role model parents on strengthening the family and dealing with life's daily challenges. The ultimate goal of the program is to promote how to live a life free of abuse. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.StopChildAbuseAlabama.com | | | | |
| 6 | Family Guidance Center of Alabama | Small Wonders Program | Home Visiting | Jefferson | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Jefferson, Shelby | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Small Wonders Program, a program of Family Guidance Center of Alabama, provides secondary prevention services targeting families, residing in Jefferson and Shelby Counties, who are at high risk for child maltreatment due to parental stress factors. As a prevention program, Small Wonders provides intensive, short-term, in home services for families raising a child with behavioral, medical, or developmental delays. Most families served are single parent-led with economic stability challenges. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.familyguidancecenter.org | | | | |
| 6 | Friends of the Court, Inc./CASA of Shelby County | CASA of Shelby County | Mentoring | Shelby | \$25,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Shelby | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Shelby County CASA (Cour-Appointed Special Advocates) has the specific task of serving a target population, children from birth through age 18, whom the Court has determined have been put at risk for abuse and/or neglect and who, therefore, are "dependent" on the Court. Our goal is to ensure that any future abuse and neglect are prevented altogether, or stopped immediately if occurring. CASA intervenes to investigate, observe, and examine family dynamics, then to recommend services so that the child can return to a safe, permanent home as soon as possible. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.casaofshelbycounty.org | | | | |
| 6 | Gateway | Shelby WrapAround | Home Visiting | Jefferson | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Shelby | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Gateway Wraparound provides in-home services to clients of Shelby County DHR. Through referral, our program works with the children and parents of children who are at risk of removal or have been removed from his/her home. Through the various in-home services (parenting, budgeting, household management, money management, mentoring, counseling, etc), our goal is to reunify families and provide families with knowledge, skills and tools to ensure safety for children and stability for the family. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.gway.org | | | | |

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| 6 | Girls Incorporated of Central Alabama | Kid Ability Project | School-Based | Jefferson | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson, Shelby | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Kid Ability Project is a comprehensive program designed to teach school-aged youth essential skills in self-protection, anger management, and conflict resolution. Through interactive activities, the Kid Ability Project empowers youth how to avoid and respond appropriately to potentially harmful situations and people. Girls Incorporated of Central Alabama will provide this program in school settings located throughout Jefferson and Shelby Counties. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.girlsincentral-al.org | | | |
| 6 | Glenwood, Inc. | Family and Community Services (FACS) | Home Visiting | Jefferson | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson, Blount, St. Clair, Shelby, Bibb, Walker | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Family and Community Services (FACS) Teams provide 4- 6 months of intensive in-home intervention to special needs children, adolescents, and their families. The focus of treatment is on providing education and support that the families need to prevent child abuse, strengthen family relationships, safely manage behaviors, and become strong advocates for their children in their schools and communities. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.glenwood.org | | | |
| 6 | IMPACT Family Counseling | Family Strengthening Program | Non-School Based/After School | Jefferson | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The Family Strengthening Program is a six-week series of classes that provides intervention services to teens and adults referred from Jefferson County Family Court, Jefferson County Municipal Court, Jefferson County Department of Human Resources, United Way of Central Alabama, city and county school systems, and other community agencies, as well as self-referrals. The Family Strengthening Program is designed to help youth reduce their problem behaviors while improving their social abilities, and to help adults learn positive parenting skills and improve their relationship with their children. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.impactal.org | | | |
| 6 | IMPACT Family Counseling | Grantee Training at Alabama 4-H Youth Development Center | Statewide Initiatives | Jefferson | \$11,589.80 |
| | All Counties Served: | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | To provide mandatory Grantee Training for the Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention's 110 Grantees from across the State. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.impactal.org | | | |

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| 6 | IMPACT Family Counseling | Relationships That Matter | Responsible Fatherhood | Jefferson | \$322,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Jefferson | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: IMPACT Family Counseling operates a comprehensive Responsible Fatherhood program that includes courses to foster responsible parenting, healthy marriage, and economic stability services. IMPACT's Responsible Fatherhood program will targets fathers and parents with minor children and specifically low-income parents facing challenges such as substance abuse, lacking adequate education, incarceration, non-custodial and other single parents, married and unmarried parents', and couples with children. All program activities are voluntary and will be provided to all eligible persons, regardless of race, gender, age, disability, sexual orientation, or religion. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.impactal.org | | | | |
| 6 | IMPACT Family Counseling | Mentoring New Moms | Mentoring | Jefferson | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Jefferson | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The purpose of the Mentoring New Moms program is to prevent child abuse and neglect, Shaken Baby Syndrome, Sudden Infant Death Syndrome and promote health and wellness for the teen mom and the child by educating her on how to handle stress and frustration in a positive way. Also to provide them with an additional support system via mentors and case managers that can help connect them with resources and opportunities for assistance that is available within their communities. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.impactal.org | | | | |
| 6 | IMPACT Family Counseling | Cribs for Kids | Statewide Initiatives | Jefferson | \$75,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Cribs for Kids is a partnership between the Children's Trust Fund and SIDS of Pennsylvania. A parent/caregiver who does not have a safe sleep environment for their baby to sleep will be provided a Pack n Play. The core purpose of Cribs for Kids is to reduce infant deaths by providing an appropriate sleep environment through education and safe cribs. Any group participating in Cribs for Kids must adhere to the American Academy of Pediatrics' Safe-Sleep Guidelines of October 2005. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.impactal.org | | | | |

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| 6 | Kid One Transport, Inc. | Increasing Access to Healthcare for Children Residing in East Alabama | Parent Education and Support | Jefferson | \$48,320.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Autauga, Bibb, Blount, Bullock, Calhoun, Chambers, Cherokee, Chilton, Clay, Cleburne, Coosa, Cullman, Dallas, DeKalb, Elmore, Etowah, Fayette, Greene, Hale, Jefferson, Lamar, Lee, Lowndes, Macon, Marengo, Marion, Marshall, Montgomery, Perry, Pickens, Russell, Shelby, St. Clair, Sumter, Talladega, Tallapoosa, Tuscaloosa, Walker, Wilcox, Winston | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | Kid One Transport, through the program Increasing Access to Health Care for Children Residing in East Alabama, will provide transportation for children and expectant mothers to medical care in Bullock, Chambers, Lee and Russell Counties and expand current services in Coosa, Macon, and Tallapoosa Counties. By providing transportation, Kid One will increase access to health care and help remove the economic pressure of transportation, thus helping to eliminate children's neglect and alleviate the family stress associated with chronic health issues. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.kidone.org | | | |
| 6 | St. Clair County Day Program, Inc. | Strategic Community Outreach Programs for Enlightenment, SCOPE | Non-School Based/After School | St. Clair | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | St. Clair | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | By the time a youth is referred to the program, the school system has exhausted all efforts to reduce truancy and redirect inappropriate behavior. The SCOPE Project is built upon the "protective factors" in the youth(s) environment. These factors are known to protect a child from the risk factors that increase the likelihood of an adolescent engaging in identified problem behaviors that can result in delinquency. SCOPE provides academic remediation, counseling services and skills for living that prevent the adolescent and their siblings from engaging in unhealthy behaviors. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.stclairdayprogram.com | | | |
| 6 | United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Birmingham | HEARTS Respite | Respite Care | Jefferson | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson, St. Clair, Shelby, Chilton, Bibb, Tuscaloosa, Coosa, Blount | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The HEARTS RESPITE PROJECT will provide a voucher based method of securing respite care for up to 50 families who are caring for a child with a developmental disability, 18 years or younger. The families will receive consistent breaks from their responsibility of caring for a child with a disability, and their emotional health will be strengthened while the chance of abuse or neglect will be lessened. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ucpbham.com | | | |
| 6 | United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Birmingham | Parenting Skills Project | Parent Education and Support | Jefferson | \$15,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: | Jefferson, Blount, St. Clair, Etowah, DeKalb | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | The PARENTING SKILLS PROJECT is intended to prevent the occurrence of abuse and neglect of young children with disabilities through parent education, skill development and support. The project will provide a community-based, secondary prevention program targeting 400 families who are at high risk due to isolation and detachment issues that compound existing stressors associated with disability. | | | |
| | Website Address: | www.ucpbham.com | | | |

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| 6 | Vineyard Family Services of Central Alabama, Inc. | Understanding Dads | Parent Education and Support | Shelby | \$20,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Shelby | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Understanding Dad is an Awareness and Communication Program for Moms. It is designed specifically for mothers, and provides innovative tools, strategies, and exercises for mothers of all races, religions, cultures, and backgrounds! Developed by fathering and parenting experts, it focuses on improving the relationships mothers have with fathers, for the benefit of their children. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.vfsdads.com | | | | |
| 6 | Vineyard Family Services of Central Alabama, Inc. | F.I.T. Dad | Fatherhood | Shelby | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Shelby | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: 24/7 DAD curriculum is a unique, comprehensive set of fatherhood programs which include the following topics: self awareness, taking care of self, fathering skills, parenting skills and relationship skills. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 6 | Youth Towers | Youth Towers | Public Awareness and Training | Jefferson | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Jefferson, Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Coosa, Shelby | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Youth Towers' mission is to house and teach young adults in order to prevent and end homelessness in their lives. We are changing lives by assisting youth with the tools they need to succeed. At Youth Towers, our main goal is to find affordable housing for our young adults clients ages 19-26 within 18 months of entering the program. Our services include street outreach, housing relocation and stabilization, career counseling, tutoring, job preparation, transportation assistance, and life skills training. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.youthtowers.org | | | | |
| 7 | BAMA Kids, Inc. | BAMA Kids and Families | Non-School Based/After School | Wilcox | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Wilcox | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: BAMA (Better Activities Make All-Around) Kids, Inc. is a community-based not-for-profit organization dedicated to the holistic development of youth and their families in Wilcox County. It is a non-school based after school program. Its mission is to improve the well-being - emotionally, educationally and physically, of youth by combining structured life skills, educational and recreational activities, developing and promoting leadership and involvement of youth and their parents, and by providing life skills to prevent violence, substance abuse and other harmful activities. BAMA Kids, Inc. coordinates community resources to provide a comprehensive range of activities that serve as constructive alternatives to negative behavior. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.bamakidsinc.org | | | | |

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| 7 | Big Brothers Big Sisters of West Alabama | School-Based Mentoring Program | School-Based | Tuscaloosa | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Tuscaloosa | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Big Brothers Big Sisters (BBBS) of West Alabama provides children facing adversity with strong and enduring, professionally supported 1-to-1 relationships that change their lives for the better, forever. Through a friendly approach, each mentor will work individually with a child to increase his or her knowledge about identification of feeling in self and others, abilities to choose pro-social behaviors rather than risky behaviors, physical and emotional safety, how to report risk of harm (i.e., bullying, child abuse and neglect, cyber bullying and internet exploitation), and the negative effects that the use of tobacco products can cause. G Brothers Big Sisters (BBBS) of West Alabama provides children facing adversity with strong and enduring, professionally supported 1-to-1 relationships that change their lives for the better, forever. The vision of this agency is that all children achieve success in life. BBBS holds itself accountable for each child who is mentored achieving higher aspirations, greater confidence, and better relationships, avoidance of risky behaviors, and educational achievement. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.bbbswestal.org | | | | |
| 7 | Central Alabama Regional Child Advocacy Center | Mandatory Reporter Training and Public Awareness Campaign | Public Awareness and Training | Dallas | \$10,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Dallas | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Central Alabama Regional Child Advocacy Center's Mandatory Reporter Training Program intends to increase participants' awareness of mandatory reporters' legal responsibilities in reporting suspected child abuse and neglect, increase participants' knowledge about physical and behavioral indicators commonly associated with child abuse and neglect and will increase participants' knowledge of how to report said abuse and neglect. The Public Awareness campaign will include a more broad array of topics such as abusive head injury prevention, Internet/on-line safety, the income tax check-off, ADCANP Children's Trust Fund car tags and safe sleep environments for babies. This portion of the program will increase knowledge about these issues as well as increase knowledge about how to respond. | | | | |
| | Website Address: https://www.facebook.com/pages/Central-Alabama-Regional-Child-Advocacy-Center/376970068995508 | | | | |
| 7 | Child Abuse Prevention Services of Tuscaloosa, Inc. | Second Step | School-Based | Tuscaloosa | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Tuscaloosa | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Second Step is a school-based education program delivered in Tuscaloosa City and County Schools for Pre-K through 8th grade. Although this program is designed with violence prevention in mind, including several lessons on dealing with bullying and drug abuse, it also incorporates numerous social skills, equipping students with necessary life skills they would otherwise not be privileged to learn. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.capstuscaloosa.org | | | | |

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| 7 | Child Development Resources | Baby TALK | Parent Education and Support | Tuscaloosa | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Tuscaloosa | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Child Development Resources has received funds from The Alabama Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention to continue the coordination and implementation of Baby TALK in Tuscaloosa County that includes Hospital Visits to new moms at two area hospitals, prenatal visits at Maude Whatley Health Clinic and Well-Child Visits at the Tuscaloosa County Health Department as well as at Maude Whatley Health Clinic and University Medical Center. Baby TALK is a model that “comes alongside parents” and assists them in the nurture of their very young children. Baby TALK identifies and builds on the strengths of parents, supports parents with developmental information which is shared at critical times, and encourages a positive parent/child relationship primarily through reading aloud. As parents better anticipate their child’s developmental milestones, their level of confidence increases, the parent/child bond is strengthened and problems such as neglect and abuse are prevented. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.ches.ua.edu/hdfs/cdr | | | | |
| 7 | Dallas County Children's Policy Council | Dallas County Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Program | Non-School Based/After School | Dallas | \$40,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Dallas | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) supports and promotes court-appointed advocates for abused or neglected children in order to provide children with a safe and healthy environment in permanent homes. CASA volunteers are appointed by judges to watch over and advocate for abused and neglected children, to make sure they don’t get lost in the overburdened legal and social service system or languish in inappropriate group or foster homes. Volunteers stay with each case until it is closed and the child is placed in a safe, permanent home. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 7 | Dallas County Children's Policy Council | Dallas County Fatherhood Initiative | Parent Education and Support | Dallas | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Dallas | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Dallas County Fatherhood Initiative is dedicated to training fathers to be successful in their family and occupation. We help educate men on a weekly basis through training sessions, and we help fathers secure employment in Dallas County and surrounding areas. DCFHI helped 81% of their graduates find jobs during the 2013-2014 grant cycle. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |

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| 7 | Pickens County Family Resource Center | Pickens County Fatherhood Program | Parent Education and Support | Pickens | \$50,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Pickens</p> <p>Program Narrative: The Pickens County Fatherhood Program is designed to implement planned program activities to promote enhancing the father-child bond, securing and facilitating active parenting by the non-custodial father, understanding and meeting child support obligations, and preventing child abuse and neglect. Approximately 60 non-custodial fathers will participate in the Fatherhood Program activities that will provide fatherhood development activities, personal and career counseling, job readiness training and employment assistance, and Adult Diploma or GED preparation. Fatherhood development activities will be provided to help strengthen the father-child bond, increase involvement in the rearing and support of their child, to foster a more positive co-parenting experience, and to encourage the formation of two-parent families.</p> <p>Website Address:</p> | | | | |
| 7 | Pickens County Family Resource Center | Pickens County Responsible Fatherhood Program | Responsible Fatherhood | Pickens | \$110,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Pickens</p> <p>Program Narrative: The Pickens County Responsible Fatherhood/ Parenting Program assist parents in becoming a more responsible family oriented parent. We attempt to accomplish this thru Parenting/ Fatherhood classes, academic assistance and referrals, developing life skills, constructing online resumes and job searches, utilizing subsidized employment, and hopefully obtaining full time employment. We try to assist clients as needed.</p> <p>Website Address:</p> | | | | |
| 7 | Pickens County Family Resource Center | Supporting The At-Risk Student (STARS) | Non-School Based/After School | Pickens | \$20,000.00 |
| | <p>All Counties Served: Pickens</p> <p>Program Narrative: The Supporting The At-Risk Student (STARS) After-school Program is designed to help at-risk students to reduce risk factors and increase protective factors in order to prevent child maltreatment. The program will work with 75 at-risk students in grades 3-6 in the Pickens County school system to modify at-risk behaviors such as aggression, truancy, and disruptive behaviors. By participating in an after school program offering life skills instruction, counseling, planned recreation and parental support services the participants will demonstrate prosocial behaviors such as nonviolence, positive decision making, conflict resolution and will modify disruptive classroom/at-home behaviors. The program will promote child abuse and neglect prevention by providing students and parents with life skills aimed at reducing risk factors and increasing protective factors in the home, school, and community.</p> <p>Website Address:</p> | | | | |

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| 7 | The University of Alabama | Parenting Assistance Line (PAL) | Statewide Initiatives | Tuscaloosa | \$50,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Statewide | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The Parenting Assistance Line (PAL) is a collaborative service of the University of Alabama Child Development Resources and the Alabama Children's Trust Fund. When callers call the toll-free number, 1-866-962-3030, a parenting resource specialist will answer the phone, listen to you, then offer helpful information and support. Callers can also request free literature about their specific parenting concerns. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 7 | The University of Alabama | Cost Benefit Analysis | Statewide Initiatives | Tuscaloosa | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Statewide | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: Child abuse can and does cause a strain on the state's social, health, and judicial services. The University of Alabama will conduct a cost benefit analysis to document the costs to the taxpayers of Alabama. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 7 | The University of Alabama | Evaluation of Programs | Statewide Initiatives | Tuscaloosa | \$86,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Statewide | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: The University of Alabama will work with ADCANP staff to conduct an evaluation study of the programs funded by the Department. | | | | |
| | Website Address: | | | | |
| 7 | Tuscaloosa's One Place | Pathways to Responsible Fatherhood Alabama | Responsible Fatherhood | Tuscaloosa | \$125,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Tuscaloosa | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.tuscaloosaoneplace.org | | | | |

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| 7 | Tuscaloosa's One Place | No Place Like Home | Home Visiting | Tuscaloosa | \$35,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Tuscaloosa | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: No Place Like Home is a home visiting program that provides family specific services that reduce risk factors and increase protective factors. Goals are established with families that promote positive parenting, self-reliance, and public awareness. During scheduled visits, staff monitor progress being made on family goals and use a research based curriculum to guide families in improving their parenting and family interactions. Staff model appropriate parenting, positive communication and interaction between parents and children. Need for social services is regularly assessed during visitation and referrals to other agencies are made when necessary. Visitation is based on need but occur at least monthly for a minimum of at least one hour. Intervention usually last 6-12 months but is contingent on family needs. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.tuscaloosaoneplace.org | | | | |
| 7 | United Cerebral Palsy of West Alabama, Inc. (UCPWA) | UPCWA HEARTS Respite | Respite Care | Tuscaloosa | \$30,000.00 |
| | All Counties Served: Choctaw, Dallas, Greene, Hale, Marengo, Perry, Pickens, Sumter, Tuscaloosa, Wilcox | | | | |
| | Program Narrative: UCPWA H.E.A.R.T.S. Respite Program provides reimbursement for respite care to families of children (up to 19-years-old) with special needs. This program is available thanks to a grant from the Alabama Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention. It is a sad, but true fact that children with a disability have an increased risk of suffering abuse and neglect. The continual and intensive care that is required for the child with a disability places great stress within the family unit. Survey after survey has shown that respite is often the most requested family support service. Respite has been shown to improve family functioning, preserve marriages and help prevent abuse and neglect. Respite has also been shown to help avoid or delay more costly out-of-home placements, including nursing home stays and foster care. | | | | |
| | Website Address: www.ucpwa.org | | | | |

Total Grant Applications Received: 140

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\$5,871,588.80